

Rep. Xavier Becerra (D-Calif.) — a key negotiator on immigration reform on Capitol Hill — said Wednesday that he wouldn't be surprised if bipartisan groups in Congress roll out legislation for comprehensive reform "within the next few weeks."

Becerra, a member of the House group working on immigration reform, said that the "climate was right, both for Democrats and Republicans" for a comprehensive overhaul of the nation's immigration laws.

"My sense is that both the House and the Senate are hoping to keep pace with the president who has essentially said, 'I'm ready to go,'" Becerra said at POLITICO's post-State of the Union address event.

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